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MEDIA ADVISORY

The District of Columbia Department of Health To Begin Smallpox Vaccinations

(Washington, D.C.) As part of the District of Columbia's Smallpox Vaccination Plan, five local physicians will be vaccinated on Monday, March 3. Physicians scheduled to be vaccinated will serve as vaccinators for public health and hospital personnel in phase one of the plan. Sgt. John Herrera, Walter Reed Hospital, will administer the vaccinations.

All media are invited to attend. Interviews will be conducted on site.

WHO: D.C. Department of health

WHAT: Photo Op (Department of Health Begin Smallpox Vaccinations)

WHEN: Monday, March 3, 2003

8:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.

WHERE: DOH's Immunization Program Clinic

1131 Spring Road, N.W.

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